



WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF
Natural Resources
Peter Goldmark - Commissioner of Public Lands

Application for Use of State-owned Aquatic Lands

Applicant Name: Washington State Parks & Recreation Commission
County: San Juan County
Water Body: Strait of Georgia, Echo Bay
Type of Authorization - Use: Right of Entry – Six Mooring Buoys
Authorization Number: 23-084894
Term: 5 years

Description: This agreement will allow the use of State-owned aquatic lands for the sole purpose of installing six mooring buoys for public use. It is located Echo Bay on Sucia Island, in San Juan County, Washington.

STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DOUG SUTHERLAND, Commissioner of Public Lands

APPLICATION FOR AUTHORIZATION TO USE STATE-OWNED AQUATIC LANDS
(Short Form Application To Be Used With The Joint Aquatic Resources Permit - JARPA)

NO WORK CAN BE STARTED ON THE PROJECT AREA UNTIL A USE AUTHORIZATION
HAS BEEN GRANTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

I. SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION

Enclose a \$25.00 non-refundable application processing fee with the application (**this fee is not required for local, state, and other government agencies**). This application form will be reviewed by the Department of Natural Resources upon receipt at the address given below. Applicants will be notified in writing if the application will be accepted for further review. However, this application may be rejected at any time before signed execution of a use authorization.

APPLICATION MUST BE FILLED OUT IN BLUE OR BLACK PEN

Please send the completed application form to your region land manager at:

Department of Natural Resources (enter address of Region/District)
Northwest Region - 919 North Township St., Sedro-Woolley, WA 98284

II. APPLICANT INFORMATION

Date of Application: August 19, 2009

Department of Revenue Tax *Registration Number (Unified Business Identifier) is **Required**:

91-6001109

Which of the following applies to Applicant (**Check One and Attach written authority to sign** - bylaws, power of attorney, etc):

Corporation ☐
State of Registration:

Limited Partnership ☐
State of Registration:

General Partnership ☐
State of Registration:

Sole Proprietorship ☐

Marital Community ☐
Spouse:

Government Agency ☒

Other ☐ (Please Explain:)

Has the site use been authorized before or is it currently under lease? Yes ☐ Lease Number:

No ☐ Don't Know ☒

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Support: Application Fee Received

Date: _____

Land Manager: New Application, Renewal Application,

Land Manager Initials _____

Land Records: New Application Number _____; Trust _____; County _____; AQR Plate No. _____

III. USE OF PROPERTY

Describe, in detail, the proposed use of the Property:

Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission (WSPRC) is proposing to install 6 additional mooring buoys in Echo Bay at Sucia Island State Park. These buoys will be for recreational boaters to tie off on while using the park. All buoys will be anchored with a helical screw anchor and swivel system. The project occupies approximately 4 acres of tidal near shore waters. A major objective of this project is to reduce anchoring and its impacts on the marine environment, especially vegetated shallows.

Is or will the Property be subleased to another party? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, submit a copy of the sublease agreement.

What are the current and past uses of the site?

The property is managed as a state marine park. There are currently 14 existing individual mooring buoys and two linear mooring buoy systems in Echo Bay.

Do you have any knowledge of contamination of the site by toxic or hazardous substances, or of past uses or practices that might have lead to contamination by such substances? Yes ☐ No ☒

If so, please explain:

Do you know if any fill material has been placed on the property in question? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, please explain:

IV. IMPROVEMENTS

Physical improvements are structures placed on the land that cannot be removed without damage to the land. Examples of such structures include: pilings, dolphins, piers, wharves, piling-supported buildings, structures built on fill or concrete foundations, buried pipelines and cables, and support structures for bridges.

What physical improvements currently exist on the site? (Photos may be required.)

There are currently 14 existing individual mooring buoys and two linear mooring buoy systems in Echo Bay. There are also a number of upland structures including picnic shelters and restrooms that will not impact this proposal.

If there are physical improvements currently on the site, who owns them?

All improvements are owned by Washington State Parks.

If there are physical improvements currently on the site, describe their condition:

All improvements are in good condition.

Which, if any, of the existing physical improvements will be removed, remodeled, or reconstructed?

None.

Describe any physical improvements that the applicant is proposing to construct on the site:

Installation of 6 mooring buoys attached with helical screw anchors.


Has any fill material been placed on the site? Yes ☐ No ☒

If Yes, please describe:

V. LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL REGULATORY PERMITS

Copies of all Government Regulatory Permits, or Permit Waivers Are Required Before Issuance of a DNR Use Authorization.

All answers and statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant Name (please print): Tom Murley	Title: NW Region Environmental Specialist
Applicant or Authorized Signature: 	Date: 8/20/09

